

## Hail Suppression Plan Holds The Spotlight

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Lately the public has shown a good deal of interest in the new approaches in hail prevention, experimented in the District of Rosenheim, attempting to use rocket-type missiles. The idea of some serious thinking should be stimulated. From an imaginary picture of atmospheric layers, we arrive at the following: rain-ready water dampness, which coagulates the water dampness. This idea, therefore, is related to methods of creating an artificial rain. So far, supported by observations of clouds, statistics of atmosphere and laboratory findings, by building an imaginary picture of atmospheric layers, we arrive at the following: rain-ready water dampness, which is over-saturated, eventually should fall out, either alone together into small drops in very low temperatures, or form themselves into different bodies called condensation kernels, skin-like nature. From the physics point of view it is easy to understand because microscopic water drops with their strong inward bonds reach such surface tensions, they have very little regularity. On the other hand the forming of "Ansatkerne" kernels (dust) produces greater surface with lesser tension and therefore they move as catalysts of the surface. We should think that atmosphere, due to the dirt produced by modern industry and transport, should contain such catalysts in unlimited quantity. However, surveys of the dust show that quantity in high altitudes rapidly decreases.

A hail-cloud forms itself when warm and damp air rapidly ascends. In highness weather quickly develops so-called "cauliflower" type cloud from which there shoots up so called buds and towers (anvil heads). After a while the upper parts envelop the buds in themselves until the lower part of the cloud has expanded itself and sky can be seen behind it. These clouds or hail towers may be seen in heights of 5 - 8 kilometers (3 - 6 miles). In such a cloud some vertical winds are prevalent, up to 20 meters per second. This should clarify why the measurement and observations of hail clouds for example from airplanes is very difficult, because it is not easy to get into a reasonable position and to estimate the physical character of the cloud.

About the origin of hail, Mr. H. Israel has commented:  
Our conception is based upon the fact that a hail cloud sinks in from the bottom some damp air, which cools as it ascends. Where we can see a cloud vapor has already been transformed into small water drops, and attached themselves to the dust

which exists in large quantities. Some of the air should come down over the sides of the "cauliflower" to replace the sucked-in air. That air is pulled in anew in the cloud and contains already less dust (Ansatkerne). In this manner there is soon at the top of the cloud, a lack of surface to adhere to. Water vapor saturates itself, water drops and vapor cool off, and more water is added. They dissolve themselves and form again. At a certain height finally as points of adherence, ice crystals form themselves. Layer after layer this formation lays down more ice, some as clear ice and some with included particles of air. Meanwhile the inner winds of the cloud draw the ice particles upward. From gradually increasing sides of the "buds" depart shiny particles of ice and envelop "lowers". This developing happens in seconds, and thus prevents the observation of the cloud and especially of "lowers" from the earth. The development of hail-kernels, skin-like nature, starts to start to drop, accumulate more water and are blown into the chimney of the cloud upwards like a windmill. As more damp air is sucked into the cloud, the heavier becomes the load of ice to the upward swirling winds. When this system is in place, the hail kernels are blown to fall down in the form of hailstones.

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## Church Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Redeemer Lutheran Church was held on Sunday, Jan. 15 in the Church basement. The treasurer reported that during 1955 the congregation enjoyed a rich measure of God's temporal blessings. For home purposes the congregation raised over \$5,000.00 for missions well over \$3,000.00.

Mr. Elmer Pieper was re-elected by acclamation as president of the congregation, as were also Rev. E. J. Fox as secretary and Erhard Reinhardt as treasurer. Mr. Fred Befus was re-elected for a three year term as elder and trustee, and Mr. Carl Schickel as elder for a three year term.

The congregation also experienced wholesome growth in its membership. At present the congregation numbers 244 communicant members. The total membership stands at 273. Seventeen children were baptized during the year. Ten children joined the congregation through the solemn rite of Confirmation. Also 12 adults were received into membership. Four weddings were performed in 1955. One member was called to his eternal rest.

The various agencies within the congregation also were able to report good progress. The Ladies Aid once again worked zealously for the church, supplying it with a vacuum cleaner, two dozen folding chairs, and also doing some work in the parsonage. The Walker League, an active group, supplied the church with one dozen folding chairs, did some work in improving the basement and also paying for the every Sunday bulletins used in the church. The Sunday school was also able to report good activity, both the children's division as well as in the adult department. Saturday school and vacation Bible classes were conducted and enjoyed wholesome growth.

Above all, the congregation was again blessed with the Word of God and His Sacraments so necessary for our everyday living, and which alone is able to make us wise into the salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

## Hockey Highlights

The Ramblers won one, lost one during the past week. Trache took their measure by a 3-2 score, while the locals fought snow-drifts on the open-air Crossfield rink to come out on the long end of a 4-3 score. It took overtime to do it!

Following the game with Didsbury, Crossfield management announced they were withdrawing their team from the league, due to a shortage of players. Carstairs were not lax in taking advantage of the situation and now have three of the top players from the defunct southern club on their roster.

Mr. Harold Oke and Mr. Tom Morris, directors of the local team, attended a league meeting in Red Deer on Tuesday, at which time it was decided that all points gained against Crossfield would be cancelled. The cancellation makes things look grim for the local entry but a bright note was in evidence when the announcement came that Bill Cowan has taken over the coaching reins. We expect more wins and better games from now on.

Next home game - Carstairs vs. Didsbury, Tuesday, Jan. 24, 8:30 p.m.

## VARIETY CONCERT HERE ON FEB. 3rd

Didsbury Lions Club have the wheels rolling for a Variety Show on Friday, Feb. 3rd, in the high school auditorium. The program which has been lined up, featuring 15 acts, with all local talent, should be one of the better ones.

Watch for more details in the next issue.

## FALLEN TIMBER

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. Johnny Teynor killed a very large lynx up west last week. He said the hide was full of shot gun pellets.

The January meeting of the Busy Bee was held at the home of Mrs. Delores McMullen with nine members and two visitors present. Election of officers for 1956 was held in the following the new slate of officers for the year.

President, Mrs. Ester McMullen; vice-president, Mrs. Roberta Stair; secretary, Mrs. Delores McMullen; Dorcas sec., Mrs. Aurora Morrison.

After the business session lunch was served by Mrs. Dorothy Moore and Mrs. Rose Howton. A 10c draw was held with one of the visitors the lucky winner.

The next meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Moore, Feb. 7. We are glad to see our teacher Mrs. E. Luft has recovered from her bronchitis and is back at school. The children were very fortunate in having their teacher back.

A Stanley tea was held at the home of Mrs. Barry McMullen last Friday. Mr. Pat McGaffin is working in



WINS \$100,000 . . . . . Master of ceremonies Jack Barry hugs Mrs. Ethel Park Richardson, 72-year-old Los Angeles woman, after she correctly answered a six-part question about folk songs to win \$100,000 on the "Big Surprise" show. It was the largest prize in the annals of radio and television giveaway shows.

## South West Didsbury

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Engel and (and) of Medicine Hat and Mr. Herman Toms of Carstairs were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weber and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Stan McEwen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dippel and Carol were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winterbottom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Lavagood and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Polkman and family.

The birthday club will meet Friday the 20th at the home of Mrs.

## Former Resident Dies in East

The death occurred Friday in Chatham, N.B., of Mrs. Clara Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald, Didsbury.

Aged 28, she is survived by her husband, John; one son, Phillip, and two daughters, Geraldine and Colleen, living in Chatham; also by her parents, three brothers and six sisters.

Services were held from Knox United Church in Didsbury on Tuesday at 2:30 P.M. T. J. Stainton officiated.

Interment followed in Didsbury Cemetery.

The district having left his job in the city.

We are sorry to report that many have been ill in the district in the last two months and seem to find it hard to shake the cough that goes with it. We wish you all a speedy recovery.

Mr. Harry Howton is a patient in the Didsbury hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howton, Danny and Jeanette, Mr. Robert Moore, Gary and Monty, and Mrs. Ruby Moore, and Mrs. Cethe Moore and Mr. Bill Moore were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGaffin, Gordon and Anne, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Howton, Danny and Jeanette and Monty Moore were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McGaffin in Didsbury Sunday.

## WESTCOTT AUXILIARY ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The January meeting of the Westcott W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Earl Klinek with 14 members and four visitors present.

Mrs. H. McNaughton conducted the Bible study, "Our High Calling."

After the business meeting election of officers was held. Mrs. R. McNaughton elected as president and Mrs. C. Eckstrand as secretary-treasurer.

February meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. M. Klinek, February 14th.

## WESTERDALE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A meeting of the Willing Workers was held at the home of Mrs. W. Herbert last Wednesday afternoon, with 16 members present. Roll call was answered with members paying a penny for each letter in their name. A motion was passed to hold a whist party on Jan. 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Herbert and another on Jan. 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson.

Mrs. L. Jones, president, presented coffee spoons to retiring officers, Mrs. D. Herbert and Mrs. H. Jackson. It was suggested that members hand in any program or roll call ideas to the treasurer for future program booklets. It was agreed that a variety program be held at the hall on February 15, at 8:30 p.m.

Program committee elected were Mrs. J. Bolton, Mrs. D. Herbert, and Mrs. H. Jackson. A motion was passed to purchase necessary supplies for making sandwiches to assure sufficient lunch, and makes admission charge of 50c for adults and 25c for school children under 16 years of age.

The Bit of Fun was a "well loved poem" contest, conducted by Mrs. D. Herbert and won by Mrs. S. Jackson. The tea money hosted was won by Mrs. J. Bolton. Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. W. Herbert and co-hostess Mrs. Pat Mahoney. Mrs. H. Jackson, Mrs. A. Jackson and Mrs. A. Jones.

In spite of the sub-zero weather five tables of whist were in play at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Herbert on Monday evening. Top honors went to Mrs. H. Jackson and Mr. J. E. Bolton. Congratulations to Mrs. V. E. Egan and Mr. Robert Jackson.

The next party will be held on January 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson.

Miss Greta Kershaw of Olds spent the latter part of last week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Schrader, Mr. M. Finnie and daughters, Ellen and Patay and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jackson were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buckley last Saturday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent viewing slide pictures.

## Annual Bonspiel Sees Prizes Well Distributed

Two local rinks and two visiting squads took top honors at the annual Didsbury Curling Club Bonspiel held here last week. Close games and extra end games were features of this event. Roy Gale, C. Pratt and K. Gillrie.

This rink will compete in the finals at Crossfield and Airdrie on Feb. 1 and 2. Members of the winning rink include C. Sorenson, skip; third, L. Clayton; second, Fred Evans; lead, Calvin Shannon.

Grand Challenge - Glen Warren of Olds.

Herbert Event - Glen Warren took top honors here. Second in this event was Edmondson of Carstairs. Ken Gillrie's foursome ended up in third position, and Lee another Carstairs entry, held fourth spot.

Citizens Event - In this battle Roy Gale of Didsbury defeated Herb Sinclair of Didsbury, leaving A. L. Hogg of Didsbury and Bill Richards of Olds winning third and fourth respectively.

Merchants Event - Ken Gillrie's rink defeated the highly touted Cliff Sorenson quartet in the finals of this event. Roy Gale came into the money again in the third slot and E. Gooding went home with the fourth prize.

Roadster Event - Another visiting rink, Lee of Carstairs, left town with the Jewellery in this section. They defeated Herb Sinclair of Didsbury, leaving Tom Sinclair and Leislair of Carstairs in the third and fourth slot.

This, what has been heralded as one of the best bonspiels ever held here was blessed with perfect curling weather. It is hoped the spirit that follow will meet with the same success.

Didsbury Ladies Curling Club annual bonspiel got away to a roaring start on Wednesday morning with fourteen rinks working out on the slippery surface. Entries include rinks from Airdrie, Midway, Eklon, Olds, Calgary, Reed Ranch, Carstairs and Didsbury. Full results of this spiel will appear next week.

## Mrs. Blore To Head O.E.S.

On Saturday evening, January 14 at an impressive ceremony held in the Masonic hall the following officers for 1956 of St. Hilary's Chapter, No. 27, O.E.S., were duly installed:

Worthy Matron . . . Mrs. Mildred Blore  
Worthy Patron . . . Mr. Wm. Blore  
Associate Matron . . . Mrs. Dorothy Blore

Associate Patron . . . Mr. Reid Clarke  
Secretary . . . Mrs. Helen Eubank  
Treasurer . . . Mrs. Inez Stauffer  
Conductress . . . Mrs. Gladys Waugh  
Associate Conductress . . . Mrs. Geraldine Scott

Chaplain . . . Mrs. Winifred Harvey  
Marshal . . . Mrs. Lila Wiggins  
Organist . . . Mrs. Joyce Resch  
Aid . . . Mrs. Natalie Gillrie  
Ruth . . . Mrs. Grace Santa  
Elder . . . Mrs. Shirley Engwer  
Martha . . . Mrs. Anne Jenkins  
Electa . . . Mrs. Marjorie Leeson  
Warder . . . Mrs. Pauline Morton  
Sentinel . . . Mrs. Charlotte Thompson

Installing officer was Mrs. Evelyn Hillebrecht of the Grand Chapter of Alberta, assisted by Miss Ella Isaac and Mrs. Bessie Bloom, both Past Grand Matrons, and by Mrs. Sade Clarke, Mrs. Elizabeth Richards, also a Past Grand Matron was soloist.

Addenda were given by the outgoing and incoming officers. The Past Matrons and the Past Patrons pins were presented respectively to Mrs. Christina Holub and to Mr. Harry Richardson. Mrs. Mildred Blore, the newly-installed worthy matron, was presented with a bouquet of flowers.

Lunch was served in the banquet hall where the tables were very attractively decorated. Mr. Wm. Blore was toastmaster.

## GIANT FRENCH RATS NEARLY KILL FARMER

Artra, France - A farmer and three of his men were badly bitten in a desperate hour-long battle with 100 giant rats in a barn near here. The fight began when farmer Jules Michaux was mowing bales of straw in his barn. A rat leaped onto his shoulder and bit his cheek. Another attacked his legs. He came running for help to his wife. At the finale there were 63 dead rats.

taken by Miss Eileen Finnie and Mr. Stanley Elder.

Mr. A. Jones is assisting at the Muller's and the party will be held at the hall on Feb. 15 at 8:30 p.m. Adults 50c; school children 25c. Lunch will be served.

## BRIAR PLAYDOWNS

McDonald Briar Playdowns took place here Sunday and the perennial favorite, Cliff Sorenson, came out on top with three straight wins over R. Gale, C. Pratt and K. Gillrie.

This rink will compete in the finals at Crossfield and Airdrie on Feb. 1 and 2. Members of the winning rink include C. Sorenson, skip; third, L. Clayton; second, Fred Evans; lead, Calvin Shannon.

Following is the schedule of the men's square draw. There are a number of postponed games which should be played as soon as possible.

Friday, January 20 - 7 p.m.  
Clarke vs. Barrett  
Sorenson vs. Law  
9:00 p.m.

Gooding vs. Allen  
Pratt vs. Snyder  
Monday, January 23rd - 7 p.m.

Clayton vs. Gillrie  
Law vs. Clarke  
Klein vs. Nus  
9:00 p.m.

Sorenson vs. Gale  
Sorenson vs. Sinclair  
Tuesday, January 24th - 7 p.m.

Barrett vs. Klein  
Clayton vs. Gale  
Gooding vs. Law  
9:00 p.m.

Ward vs. Allen  
Evans vs. Sinclair  
Dubois vs. Snyder  
Wednesday, January 25 - 7 p.m.

Klein vs. Nus

## DIDSBURY MARKETS BUTTERPAT

Delivery Bids at Crystal Dairy

Table	85c
Special	60c
No. 1	80c
No. 2	52c

## Midway News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A speedy recovery to Mr. and Mrs. Hastie and Mrs. John McNaughton who have been confined to their homes with the flu.

On Wednesday evening, 18 friends and neighbors surprised Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Swanson. The occasion being their 30th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards. Mr. Fred Metz presented them with a purse of money.

Mr. Howard Ross spent a few days with her mother Mrs. Wm. McCulloch in Didsbury this week.

Lola Ross spent Wednesday with her parents.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lore on the birth of a son on Jan. 9.

A nice crowd turned out at the skating party sponsored by the Midway school children on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Dave Roundtree and children will spend about two months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson where her husband works in Drayton Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise McCulloch were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McCulloch Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. Hunter visited with Mrs. B. McKee Thursday evening.

The Bancroft ladies entertained their husbands Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ohlhausen. There were 22 guests. After a turkey supper the evening was spent in playing bingo and military waltz. Prizes in what went to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fisher, Mrs. W. Swanson and Mr. Gordon Hoskin.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE ON WOOD 1 big heater will burn 3 ft long wood. 1 sump pump. Contact: Ed Jana. 3-3tp

### FOUND NOTICE

The pound formerly kept by W. H. Metz on the S.W. 1/4 Sec. 24, Twp. 31, Rge. 27, W. 4th Mer. for the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, has been closed.

Pound is now located on the N.W. 1/4 Sec. 27, Twp. 31, Rge. 27, W. 4th Mer. with Alfred Thompson as poundkeeper.

J. Riddoch,  
Secretary-Treasurer.  
M. D. of Mountain View.  
No. 49

### HOSPITAL CONTRACTS

Residents Non-Ratepayers of the DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL DISTRICT may now purchase Hospital contracts at any time during the year. A NEW Contract Purchaser must wait sixty days from the date of purchase before benefits become effective. On RENEWAL Contract benefits are effective immediately.

The rule, whereby Contracts could be only twice a year, no longer applies.

The cost of a Hospital Contract is \$10.00 per year and entitles the holder and dependents to Hospitalization at a flat rate of \$1.00 per day with few exceptions.

Hospital Contracts are sold at the Hospital only. 3-3tc

### EAST DIDSBURY 4-H HOLDS JANUARY MEETING

The East Didsbury 4-H Beef Calf Club held their regular meeting January 14th at the Crown School, Alvingham, with Mrs. Dole and neighbors acting as hostesses.

The meeting was brought to order by reading the 4-H creed and the minutes.

Three very good reports were given by Doug Brander, Elenor Charleton and Alfred Hansen. Three more reports were assigned for next month.

Jim Hadley, a new member, joined the club. It was decided to have a pie social and films will be shown by Mr. and Mrs. Ken Burns. The date has not been set.

The Club leader, Mr. Brander, was presented with a lamp in appreciation of his help and interest given to the club during the year. After thanking the hostess for a lovely lunch the meeting was brought to a close.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of the Good family on February 18th.

FOR SALE OR RENT — 3-roomed house with full sized basement with brooker furnace. Phone 1109. 2-3tc

FOR SALE — Larain feed oats, board price or 50c, will deliver for extra. Lloyd Vogel, phone 2015, Carstairs. 2-3tc

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### NOTICE

I will no longer be responsible for my wife's debts. Mrs. Winnifred Bisson.

Mr. T. Bisson,  
Pincher Creek, Alberta. 2-3tc

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of JOHN TOFFLEY, late of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, retired, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named JOHN TOFFLEY, who died on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1955, are required to file with the undersigned, by the 29th day of February, A. D. 1956, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 9th day of January, A. D. 1956.

H. Lynch-Staunton,  
Didsbury, Alberta,  
Solicitor for the Executors 2-3tc

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the matter of the estate of EDWARD GEORGE RANTON, late of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, Merchant, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named EDWARD GEORGE RANTON, who died on the 10th day of August, 1955, are required to file with the undersigned, by the 29th day of February, A. D. 1956, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 9th day of January, A. D. 1956.

H. Lynch-Staunton,  
Didsbury, Alberta,  
Solicitor for the Executors 2-3tc

HOUSE FOR RENT — Immediate possession. Phone 36 or 47, J. V. Bensch. 1-3tc

TRUCKING WANTED — Grain and coal hauling. Contact Otto Bittner, phone 1419, Didsbury. 2-3tp

FOR SALE — 17 ft. house trailer, built-in cupboards, aluminum sheathed, truck hitch, new tires. Phone 132. 2-3tc

FOR SALE — 1 deep freeze Fridge 9-5; 1 Automatic propane range with tank and regulator; 1 17" Admiral television set; 1 Chesterfield chair and 1 chrome office chair; 1 1954 Chevrolet powerglide sedan, turning lights, and radio, low mileage, 1st. class condition; 1 pr. of calf show halters, garden hose, trouble lights, tools, etc. All large articles may be financed. D. O. Thompson, Phone 314. 3-3tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 1 Owen 32 volt, 1200 watt lighting plant, glass batteries, radio, drill, iron vacuum cleaner, 3 motors, bulbs. This equipment is in very good condition. S. C. Nelson, 5 miles south of Westward Ho. 3-3tp

FOR SALE — Heifers and young milch cows, fresh or to freshen soon. Contact Lloyd Stauffer, phone 2007, Didsbury. 3-3tp

FOR SALE — Coming in brood, Yorkshire sows, B. A. Atkinson. 3-3tp

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McKee of Brampton, Ont., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Merlyn Diane to Ronald Lawrence Fischer youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fischer, Didsbury. The marriage to take place quietly in February. 3-3tp



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WANTED — Immediately, housekeeper to take charge on farm and care for elderly lady. Apply Fred Kueker, Box 43, Didsbury. 2-3tp

### NOTICE

Preparation of Assessment Roll 1956  
Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment of the previous year has been adopted under the provisions of The Assessment Act, and that the assessment roll of the said municipality has been duly prepared and that if any person thinks that any property has been wrongfully assessed, or assessed too high, or too low, or that his name or the name of any other person has been wrongfully entered upon or omitted from the roll, he may at any time prior to the 31st day of January notify the secretary-treasurer in writing of his particulars and grounds of his complaint.

DATED at Didsbury, this 9th day of January, 1956.  
J. Riddoch,  
Secretary-Treasurer

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE ACT

Notice is hereby given that THE MENNONITE CONFERENCE OF ALBERTA intend to apply to the Legislative Assembly for the Province of Alberta at the forthcoming session thereof for a Private Act exempting from taxation those portions of the land hereinafter described, including personal property situated thereon, as are used by it for the operation of the Menno Bible Institute for so long as such property is used by it for the operation of the said Menno Bible Institute.

The lands affected are situated in the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49 and are described as follows:

The North Two Hundred and Forty (240) Feet of the West Three Hundred and Sixty Three (363) Feet of the North East Quarter of Section Thirty Two (32) in Township Thirty (30) Range Twenty Eight (28) West of the Fourth Meridian in the province of Alberta, containing Two (2) Acres, more or less.

EXCEPTING THEREOUT all mines and minerals.  
DATED at the Town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, this 9th day of January, A. D. 1956.  
Mennonite Conference of Alberta,  
William R. Pauls,  
President. 2-4tc

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### Murmurs "Overheard" . . .

"Best bonspiel we've ever had. Wish we'd been in it. We'd have whipped those guys!"

"They sure haven't done much about that road from the highway into town. Guess we'll have to wait until the next election for more promises!"

"Sure is nice to see those Rambler uniforms back in action. Sure is nice to see Bill Cowan at the helm again, too!"

"Nice to know there's going to be another variety show in town. Should be more of 'em!"

"See in last week's Pioneer where they were advertising Yorkshire cows. What kind of animal is that, a new breed maybe?"

"That skatin' schedule at the arena is still a mystery to most people. Wish I could find out just what happens, and when!"

"Wish that guy that writes this column for The Pioneer would close up for now. (After all we don't enjoy talking to ourselves, or do we?)"

Whose murmuring now?

### Notes From D.A.

By Howard J. Fulecher

The size of a litter of pigs which is weaned makes the difference between profit or loss to the producer. A good sized litter of thirty pigs can be raised even in severe cold winter if proper management practices are followed.

One common cause of losses in litter pigs is the lack of sufficient iodine in the sow's ration. When the sow does not receive enough iodine the thyroid gland is affected, litter pigs thyroid gland functions before birth and they suffer accordingly.

These pigs may be born in a weak and unsatisfactory condition, these pigs do poorly and losses are high. They may in more severe cases be born hairless, have puffy skin and enlarged thyroids. In all cases losses are high and profits in hog production are greatly reduced or nullified completely.

Prevention is simple it is just supplying sufficient iodine to the pregnant sow. In some areas it is not a problem and in others the iodized salt is sufficient. In most areas of this province it must be further supplemented by feeding the sow Potassium Iodide.

Potassium Iodide is fed by dissolving one ounce of it in one gallon of water and feeding one tablespoonful of this solution per day to each sow. The solution may be made with seven ounces of Potassium Iodide in one gallon of water and fed at the rate of one tablespoon per week. The solution must be kept in a glass or enamelware container.

### LONE PINE INSTITUTE HOLDS JANUARY MEETING

The Lone Pine W. I. met at the home of Mrs. Sam Elliott with 11 members and one visitor present. The roll call was answered by handing in a tea towel for the Lone Pine Hall. It was decided to hold a card party at the Fred Metz home with Mrs. Edna Dowel as hostess on Friday, January 20th. Everyone welcome.

It was decided to send \$10 to the Woods Christian Home and bring good used clothing for the Korean drive.

Mrs. Roy Dowel gave a paper on health. A gift was sent to members who have left the neighborhood. The contest was won by Mrs. O. Milne. Ten cent draw was won by Mrs. Roy Dowel which netted \$40. Thank you to those who read from old members who were sent small gifts at Christmas. The meeting closed with "God Save the Queen" and pot lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Jack Underlay. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Owen Milne on Feb. 2nd. Those who have home economists, Miss Nelson plans to attend this meeting so we hope for a good attendance.

Responsibility walks hand in hand with capacity and power.  
— J. G. Rothland

### By The Way

Contributed by

REV. T. J. STAINTON, M.A.

"ROOM ON THE WALK"  
When two cross-eyed gentlemen ran into each other on the sidewalk, one said to the other, "Why don't you look where you are going?" To which the other replied, "Why would you go where you are looking?" There are other reasons why people bump each other on the walks of life, instead of sharing them harmoniously. There has always to be two before there can be a bump. There also must always be at least two before there can be sharing of any kind. There must be as well, a willingness to share.

The explosive material TNT is a compound of carbon, hydrogen, oxygen and nitrogen. Under the pressure of certain conditions, the atoms change groupings, not in a hit and run miss fashion but in a definite fixed order. This regrouping causes an enormous increase in bulk instantly, thus the explosion. This action cannot be called either sharing or co-operating, because there is no inner attitude involved. It is mechanical only.

Again, every time we listen in on the radio, we hear Orchestra music. Orchestra music is harmony at its best, when each separate player is master of his own instrument, and when each note on every instrument is given its full value, proper time and place. The harmony of these blended notes is brought about by the willful co-operation of all the members. This principle holds true through out all life. The best in any society is possible only when each individual plays well his part in full harmony with the best to be reached by each, and by all the rest of society.

The enduring value of any machine lies in the good qualities of the materials from which it is made. It is not enough that the parts fit together, or that the color, weight and shape are in perfect accord with the blue print. Besides this, every steel plate, every spring, every screw, every bolt, every part big or little must in itself reach the highest level of strength and endurance. When each part makes its full contribution to the whole then and only then can the machine be of lasting value. This principle holds good through out all society. It is only when each individual makes a contribution of the highest nature to the whole, that our social, political, economical, religious, town, country and human life can be of such quality that none may be ashamed and none hurt.

For better or for worse man is not a machine. The machine is a means to an end. Man is an end in himself. The material is selected from which a machine is built. Man selects the materials out of which he chooses to build his character. No other machine suffers when one fails.

### Newspaper

#### Comments . . .

The following are comments from a few Western newspapers regarding the proposed legislation which would enable the federal government to pay part of the cost of carrying prairie wheat stocks:

The Winnipeg Free Press says that Eastern Canada will regard the proposed \$30 million as a handout to the prairie farmer and adds, "the case of the farmer is that they ought to be paid for the wheat they have grown. They cannot, of course, be paid in full before the wheat is moved. They can and should not a substantial payment — the \$125 basis proposed in these columns — while the wheat is still on their farms. That is the sound and logical way of dealing with the present system, the way that puts cash into the farmers' hands without making him beholden to the general taxpayer."

Calgary Herald: "The government is the farmers' sole wheat-marketing agency, has some moral responsibility to provide emergency assistance. For this reason, the proposed relief to the farmer of storage charges on grain, which he is not allowed to market as he sees fit, would seem to be logical — or at least morally inescapable — in the present emergency. . . there is a wheat problem which must be solved but until a solution is found any emergency steps to alleviate the farmer's distress must be of a temporary nature."

Lethbridge Herald: "There will be a year from some quarters one dipping into the treasury for such purposes. Let the farmers bear it, they say: it is their wheat; why should the taxpayer come to the rescue? To those who take this view we suggest that farmers are getting far less than their fair share of the national income these days. . . Ottawa seems to think the burden on wheat growers should be eased to some extent. We think most good Canadians will agree with Ottawa on that score."

Many people suffer when one person fails to choose wisely the principles on which, and out of which he builds his attitudes toward others on life's walkways. One's thinking, one's feeling, one's loving is all concerned with two people at least: oneself and some one else.

How timely then these words "set this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus."

"Set your feelings on things above, not on things of the earth."

"Greater love has no man than this that a man lay down his life for his friends."  
It might help us to keep our place on life's walkways if we always kept in mind, "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

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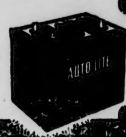
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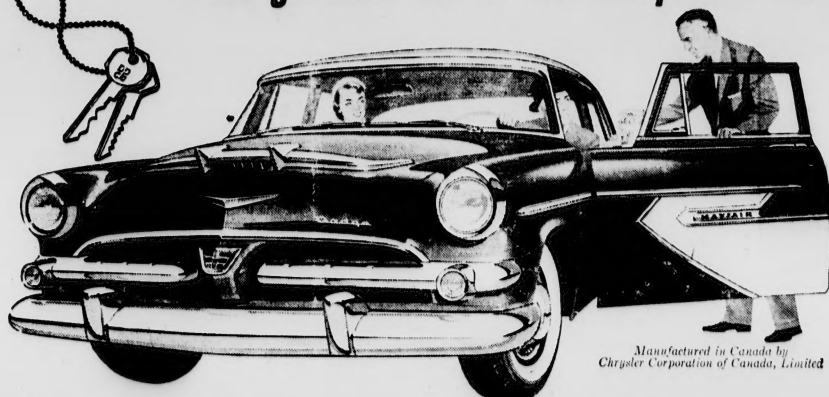
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## TODAY'S CHUCKLE

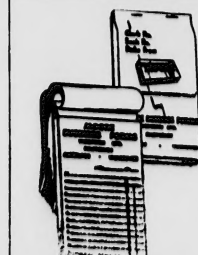
Blonde in restaurant as boy friend studies check: "You look ill. Is it something I ate?"

Spring Is  
Far Off . . .

Canadians in various parts of the country have different opinions about a great many things, but three things that most agree on are a longing for Spring, a liking for having money and a liking for spending it. It happens, however, that governments also like to spend money. Nowadays the Federal Government takes under its wing about one-sixth of the whole total national income; provincial governments claim a considerable slice and municipal governments demand varying amounts, running into hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

Altogether, about one-quarter of the national income is taken out of the pockets of the Canadian people, rich and poor. More is taken from the individual rich person, but by far the larger part of this money that is spent by the governments comes out of the pockets of the poor. Few people have effective means for finding out whether governments are spending their money to advantage, and there are not a great many who take much time out to wonder about it; but the loss of the individual right to spend or to save is felt by all. Being deprived of some quarter of their income means that Canadians lose, roughly, the whole winter's work. Not until spring will they get their hands on their own money. It is no wonder that Canadians look forward with a special interest to spring, when the snow and governments may get off their backs.

—The Printed Word

What Other  
Papers Say . . .

★ Red Deer (Alta.) Advocate: "... the risk of becoming tedious ... we again point out that this business of changing licence plate colors every year is stupid, unnecessary and wasteful."

★ Three Rivers (Que.) Chronicle: "Canadians can hardly expect to maintain a dynamically expanding private enterprise economy under a tax system dedicated to socialist principles."

★ Vernon (B.C.) News: "A country's destiny lies not in exciting controversy, but in the things of reality — in hard work and in vision, in trees and in pastures, in orchards and barns, in exchanging its wealth for the good things of the world."

★ Montreal (Que.) Monitor: "Other groups who control wealth and exercise influence in the economic sphere are required by law to conduct themselves in such a manner as to avoid injury to the public or injustice to individuals. There is no reason why organized labor should not be required to conform to similar standards of responsibility."

★ Canada's flag editorial concluded by the Hants Journal, Windsor, N.S., as follows: "Let us boast that in Canada we have a way of life unexcelled anywhere in the world, and let us boast about our allegiance to our Queen. If flag waving is a means of supporting that boast we are all for it."

★ Penticton (B.C.) Herald says in part: "... our Western farmers, so conscious in recent years that the government could do their selling job for them better than they could by themselves, may be relearning historic economic truth the hard way."

★ Editor of the Midland (Ont.) Free Press running for deputy-revee office is quite frank: "You vote against an editor you don't like and he can still keep on editing. You vote for an editor you don't like in order to keep him away from editing, and the guy might even get elected. It's a tough choice."

★ Editorial quote of the week: Yorkton Enterprise says: "We'll go along with Premier Douglas to the extent that it is besting to us; that the tried and true method of doing business seems to have failed, at least in some cases. Impatient, democratic politicians have streamlined our economy to a point that we may be forced to follow the trend. At the same time we still favor a policy of free enterprise and the law of supply and demand, and contend that Robin Hood was wrong and the delusion of an economic Fourth Dilemma flourishes not merely through stupidity, but because in the Socialistic tendency of our day there is now an enormous vested interest in keeping it alive."

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Why the spiritual qualities of honesty, unselfishness, and obedience are important to an understanding of Truth will be brought out in Christian Science service Sunday.

Scriptural selections to be read in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Truth" will include Jesus' parable of the sower and his explanation of its meaning for his disciples (Luke 8).

Among the correlative passages to be read from "Science and Health" with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy is the following (272:2-8): "The spiritual sense of truth must be gained before Truth can be understood. This sense is assimilated only as we are honest, unselfish, loving, and meek. In the soil of an honest and aged heart the seed must be sown; else it beareth not much fruit, for the swinish element in human nature uproots it." Psalms (86:16): "Thou, O Lord, art a God full of compassion, and gracious, long-suffering, and plenteous in mercy and truth."

## Letter To The Editor

## THANK YOU EVERYONE

The Board and members of the staff of the Didsbury Lodge wish to convey to you their sincere appreciation for what you have done for the guests who reside at the Lodge.

Several of the Women's Institutes gave donations of fruits and vegetables in season, others made cakes and cookies, another did some sewing for the home. At Christmas time many oranges and apples were received. The Legion donated a turkey on Memorial day. The Lions installed a splendid television set.

We appreciate more than words can convey the interest, which you, have taken in the welfare of the guests who are at the lodge. It helps to make a home for those who can not have a home of their own. At the present time there are ten guests at the Lodge. We would have room for one more lady now.

Again folks, a hearty thank you one and all.  
W. Reist,  
Sec. Treas.

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## DISTRICT NEWS

## Hail Suppression

(Continued from page one)

accompanied by the pulled along air. There are cases where the mother cloud lacks the "food," then the above development stops. In these cases the clouds shrink together and very seldom does precipitation develop.

Also, ice does not always reach the earth from well developed hail clouds. Because of the required amount of vapor (dampness) to develop hail needs the high temperatures of low laying layers, the falling hail often melts again. The large rain drops at the beginning of a storm is proof to meteorologists that hail has melted while falling.

Not all ice formed in the atmosphere comes down in a form of hail. When hail was fought by shooting, it was thought that a shot scattered the hail cloud and thus prevented hail. After some experiments in creating artificial precipitation from rain-ready clouds with the use of ice and later with silver iodide developed three methods of hail prevention, which all have in common one idea to use as all cooled off later-vapor formations some particles for adherence which form around them water drops and create rain before large quantities of ice have developed. The material seeded from airplanes from above the cloud is blown into cloudless surroundings because interior winds of the cloud blow out air and ice. Using this method, the dust (Aniseikene) never reaches the cooled off roof of the cloud.

Another method which is used to make rain is a gas fountain. This blow of gas is often weakened and locked by the atmosphere. While in the mountains generators of dust (Kerne) can be placed very close to the points where they are effective, that is they come in direct contact with clouds, whereas in a flat country the use of a gas fountain up to 1000-1300 meter is practically possible.

Lately rockets containing silver iodide have been used. When they explode lots of small particles are freed. It is not necessary to shoot rocket right into the cloud formation. It is quite enough if the explosion occurs in suction rooms of the cloud where upward winds carry the particles and meet early with vapor. This method almost always guarantees success if a hail cloud is spotted early, right at the beginning of its formation and rocketed. This is comparatively cheap and simple since it does not require an airplane or generators, and rockets are easy to obtain. The operators could be called to places where valuable crops should be saved.

The easy preliminary requirements for this method may present certain difficulties and disappointments. It is not always the case when even well educated observers of clouds can readily predict if the cloud will be a dangerous one.

To fire rockets at very suspicious clouds wouldn't be advisable even if rocket personnel could be motorized. It is difficult to see in a cloudy sky the regions of intake on which hail clouds are developing. The faster a cloud surges upward, the more room it leaves around and this free space has to be filled from upper layers and has to dry by abundant warming. Thus, we can assume that the territory taken by a hail cloud is a certain one, while the in between space is in no danger. Finally the absence of hail cannot always be credited to the success of seeding of a cloud.

As mentioned above once formed hail in a "tower" reaches the earth as large drop-size rain; also the development of "cauliflower" ends in all cases when "buds" or "towers" cannot break through the higher dry and not so cold air masses or if a supply of fresh, damp and warm air interrupted.

Thus the statistics of hail prevention with rockets cannot always be based on more or less subjective observations of shooters and witnesses. That should be proved with unmistakable surveys like radar equipment, which allows one to observe the formation of ice on the screen. Thus it could be checked if the "towers" of clouds has contained hail which melted during downfall; if hail has been prevented by the conditions of the atmosphere and would not happen anyway; conversion of just developed small hailstones into a rain has been achieved by firing of rockets.

In the prevention of hail about 50 rockets should be calculated for a Landkreis (district) of not known size to translator which makes about DM 2000 (\$400.00) for ammunition. In such a way the prevention of hail would save several millions in an agricultural producing area, (size not known but could be found out).

Therefore it also would be wise to use certain methods of control, although that would require considerable expenses for instruments and personnel. It is very important that members of hail prevention teams through constant observation would acquire ability detecting clouded skies and changes and thus in due time would be ready to spot all storm and hail clouds. The preventing could be taken over by weather bureau which twice daily receives the measurements of temperature and moisture of high layers.

## M.V.B.C. NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The First Semester has passed, and our students have finished their examinations. It remains at the moment for the teachers to correct the papers, turn in their grades, and for the registrar to finish the report card. We have declared Monday as a holiday for students but not for faculty, so that all these things may be attended to and the second semester to free from encumbrances, if that is possible. However, when Mr. Taylor announced the above decision we didn't hear one dissenting voice. It is just as well not to say what we heard.

On Thursday evening the Bescon's class of the United Missionary Church met in the College for their annual supper. It was lavishly attended. Mr. Harvey Burgess who is the teacher of the class was in charge. After the supper the class met in the chapel and played some games before a very interesting program of song and verse was presented by various members. Mr. Burgess introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. Laing of the Bethel Baptist Church, Calgary. He brought a challenging message.

On Friday evening the students enjoyed a turkey supper, the bird being provided by one of our good friends of the community. In order to throw off the depressing effects of exams a number of students joined with the church young people in a skating party, while others met in the students lounge and played such games as crokinole and scrabble. The latter did require some concentration but not too much, I guess. Popcorn and a hot drink made up for the effort.

The College has a shortage of meat this month. This hasn't happened for a long time, but a pig has been secured within the last few days which will help the situation a little. As in former years the meat has thus far been scarce, but a pig has been secured within the last few days which will help the situation a little.

Miss Lois Suder has moved into the dorm for the second semester. Along with her came also Wilda Siemens who has been working at the hospital for quite some time. Virginia Hamm who took the first semester of work returned to her duties in the hospital again. A young man from Olds is moving in on Monday to take work here. So they come and go. We are expecting a good semester again, but we feel that the time passes by so quickly. The closing exercises will be on as before long, and then another summer.

A group of young people went to Bergen on Sunday evening to conduct the service there. Our students look forward to these activities, and give good service.

Nine students have registered for organ this semester. Mary Taylor who will be giving tuition in this work has her schedule practically filled now. We trust that another year they will be more help in this direction and that more local persons will be able to take lessons. The organ will be used continually. We are glad to report that several have said they would take out memorials also for the organ within the last few days. Our objective is some sixteen to twenty memorials and over half of them have been taken we believe.

## BERGEN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Womens Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. Rose Ellis on Thursday afternoon with 20 ladies in attendance.

In the process of the afternoon a quilt was tied, and a great deal of cut out work for African missionaries was accomplished.

Following the devotional hour the hostess served very enjoyable refreshments.

A meeting of the Fallen Timber Rural Electrification Assoc. was held in the Bergen hall on Wednesday evening.

The annual school meeting will be held in the Bergen school on the afternoon of Jan. 23.

Rev. Walter Gamble returned from a trip to the Pacific coast where he visited a number of appointments in connection with his position as youth director of the conference of his church.

In his absence his mother Mrs. Anna Gamble of Didsbury stayed with Mrs. Gamble and family. Laman Ratcliff has strung a telephone wire across the big Red and are now connected by telephone to the outside world.

Several district farms and the Bergen hall have been added to the local users of Calgary Power. We were all wondering one morning recently when the power was off, what we would ever do without it.

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## Little Items of Local Interest

Mrs. E. Jenkins received a letter from her son Dennis, stationed with the R.C.A.F. in Quebec, who reports that he has been posted overseas and will receive his mail at Tenquin, France in the future. His wife and two sons, Jerry and Billy, will accompany him.

Mrs. Raymond Fulkerth and five of her pupils, Katherine Clayton, Elaine Kimmel, Joyce Timms, Betty Fox and Carol Shantz, attended the celebrity concert of the talented Byron Janis, pianist, in Calgary on Monday.

Mrs. Raymond Asquith will hold home nursing classes in the high school each Friday evening, commencing at 8 p.m.

OSMA-1 Bob Bussard left Wednesday for Halifax, where he will be stationed at the Royal Navy base, HMCS Stadacona.

Miss Georgina Parsons of Grande Prairie visited last week with Miss Elaine Kimmel.

Mrs. Ed Ford left today (Thursday) for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawkins of Calgary.

Mrs. M. Colwell was a Calgary visitor over the weekend.

Mrs. B. Briggs of Calgary was a weekend visitor with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Weber.

Mrs. Edwin Reid of Cremona is visiting this week with her sister-in-law Mrs. Jennie Post.

Mrs. Jennie Post was hostess to Mrs. Murphy Sr., Mrs. W. Reid, H. Traub and Mrs. E. Reid on Monday. Time was spent by cutting supplies for missionary work for Mrs. O. Traub and reminiscing old times.

Funeral services for Mr. Thomas "Tommy" Lennie, who passed away suddenly last weekend, will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, January 20th, at the Westcott United Church.

New additions to the Royal Bank staff here are Mr. Barry Lashmer, formerly of Pincher Creek and Mr. J. M. Mismar, who comes here from Edmonton.

## WEST NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Elktion Willing Workers held their Jan. meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Erickson with Mrs. F. Herbert as co-hostess. Most of the members were present and the roll call was the paying of the 25c dues. It was decided to send \$5 to Save the Children Fund and to have a collection of good used clothes at the next meeting, when it is hoped a comforter will be made to send too. It was also decided to hold a social evening once a month in the school with two members as hostesses. The first one with Mrs. Arnold Blain and Mrs. Lee Evans as hostesses to be held Friday, Jan. 20th in the form of a whist drive and those who don't play cards to play crokinole. Prizes will be given and lunch served with a charge of 25c each, being made. Members to donate the prizes. Election of officers followed with the following being elected: Mrs. G. Byrt, president; Mrs. D. Gillies, Jr. vice-pres.; Mrs. H. Erickson, sec-treas.; as she has only completed one year of her two year term. A vote of thanks was given to the retiring president, Mrs. G. Befus, and the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arnold Blain.

Two links from Elktion curled in the town bonspiel, H. Hosgood with O. Befus, C. Leeson and W. Luft and Arnold Hogg with K. Brian, R. Befus and A. L. Hogg. The latter link won a nice prize.

Mrs. H. Erickson has been substituting as teacher at the Pullen Timber school while Mrs. P. Luft is on the sick list.

Friday evening, Jan. 6, Mrs. O. Krebs was hostess to the west bridge club at the home of Mr. O. Thompson. A grand time was had by all present and a lovely lunch served to end the pleasant evening.

Miss Maxine Hosgood and Miss Linda Hosgood spent the weekend at their respective homes.

The Rugby W.I. held a whist drive at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cowitz on Monday evening with six tables playing. Honors went to Mrs. L. Krebs and Mrs. A. Walldoff and consolation to Mrs. O. Thompson and Mr. L. Cowitz. The lucky program prize to Mr. L. Evans. The next one to be at Mrs. Alex Blain's, Monday, Jan. 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright and family of Calgary spent the Christmas and New Year holidays with Mrs. E. Wright and Leonard.

Mrs. Jean Romy and Bert of Sundre, were supper guests with Mrs. E. Wright and Leonard on Sunday.

## UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. T. J. Stainton, M.A.

Sunday, January 22

Westcott Sunday School - 11:00 a.m.

Westcott Service - 11:30 a.m.

Knox Church School - 11:00 a.m.

Knox Evening Worship - 7:45 p.m.

Song Service - 7:30 p.m.

Subject: "Thinking With Robbie Burns."

## Coming Events

—Knox United W.M.B. will meet at the manse on Friday, Jan. 20 at 2:30 p.m.

—The Evening Group W. A. will meet at the manse on Monday, Jan. 23, at 8:00 p.m.

On the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCoy will be "at home" to their friends and neighbors Tuesday, Jan. 16 from 2 - 5 in the afternoon and 8 - 10 in the evening.

The dances advertised for Jan. 20 at Melvin Hall has been cancelled.

## CREMONA NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Gillis, formerly of Cremona, a son, Jan. 1. Russell and Betty have named their new son Reginald Allen.

There was a good turnout at Cremona Home and School last Wednesday evening, Jan. 11th. The entertainment provided was a film "Life in Northern Canada". The discussion centred on the possibility of enlarging the school and building an auditorium. The Garfield ladies supplied the lunch.

The ladies curling bonspiel is scheduled for Jan. 27 - 28. Outside competition is welcome.

The W. A. meeting designated to be held at the Cresting manse was cancelled on account of the weather.

The Credit Union board held their monthly meeting at the Credit Union office on January 13. The superintendent met their final check of the end. Members and adherents are urged to come.

Mrs. Edwin Reid is visiting with Mrs. Jenny Post in Didsbury this week.

Mrs. Jack Rattery is home again after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. M. Grant in Calgary.

The Christmas party for the club was held on the evening of January 9th. The boys enjoyed a movie and a good time.

The annual meeting is to be held in the Cremona Community hall on Feb. 17 at 2 p.m. This is the members' meeting. Do come.

The Board of the United Church held their final meeting for this term of office on January 10th. The congregational meeting is to be held in the church on Jan. 24. All folk interested are cordially invited to attend their own camping expedition, taken last summer.

Arrangements have been made to move the Garfield school into Cremona. It has been purchased by the club and scouts.

The Dinzey house has been rented by Mr. Lee Sanderman.

Syd's cafe in Cremona has changed hands. The purchaser are Ladners.

Mr. Jerry Simington is confined to his home with flu and pneumonia.

Jackie Beltham has transferred from Cremona high school to Calgary.

John Tuppe underwent an operation on Friday, Jan. 6 in Calgary. Latest reports are that he is doing as well as can be expected. Orville has already gone to H.C. and his folks expect to follow before too long.

Mrs. Bob Benfert has been having a grim time for the past week. She went to Calgary last Tuesday to have X-rays taken.

Loren Magee, wife of daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Magee has been ill all week. Last night they had to have the doctor in for her. Best wishes are extended from the Cremona congregation for her speedy recovery.

Mr. Jimmy Lamont spent five days of his holidays between Christmas and New Years visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Laing at their farm near Cremona.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dial, Pat and Laurie of Red Deer, and Mrs. G. Graham of Rimbey spent the day after New Years visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Laing.

Boxing Day visitors from Calgary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Laing were Dave Lamont, Bob Swain, and Mrs. and Mrs. Ivan Befus and children.

## Harmattan News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The St. George's W. A. met at the home of Mrs. A. V. Johnson on Jan. 4th for an emergency meeting with most members present.

We are pleased to hear Mr. J. H. Wiper is home again after an operation in the Olds Hospital and is feeling fine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan of Harmattan and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan of Sundre left by plane last Wednesday for a month's vacation in Honolulu. They will visit Miss Clarence Morgan while there.

Mrs. George Fagen is at present staying at Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan's of Sundre.

Several of the youngsters of the district have been ill with chicken-pox. Most families having someone ill with it. Hope it will have soon run its course and be over with.

If your Hospital Contract has expired it should be renewed at once. New or Renewals issued at the Didsbury Hospital.

## ZELLA NEWS NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. E. Lowrie and Mrs. J. Johnson were co-hostesses for nine tables of whist at the Community Centre last Wednesday evening, Jan. 11. First prize winners were Miss Shirley Butts and Wilf Wigley; consolation going to Mrs. Ted Bolton and Ben Egging. Mr. and Mrs. George McCracken were winners of door prizes.

On Friday evening, Jan. 13th the Community Centre was again filled to capacity when Mr. Marsh of the Olds Co-Op showed films and served lunch.

Dr. Johnson of St. Stephens College, Edmonton will be guest speaker for the services to be held at Zella Sunday, Jan. 22 at 10 a.m. Everybody welcome.

Bible study and social evening will be held this Friday evening, Jan. 25th at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Oppen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Kolstad and family.

## ST. CYPRIAN'S WOMEN'S AUXILIARY ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of St. Cyprian's Women's Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Freeman. After the reading of reports which showed a successful year, the following officers were elected:

Honorary president, Mrs. E. R. Doyle; president, Mrs. J. M. Freeman; vice-pres., Mrs. J. W. Rupp; Sec-treas., Mrs. Don McMillen; Sec. for Little Helpers, Mrs. David Pratt; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Syd Wilkins.

Plans were made for the congregational supper to be held Jan. 21 in the Lions hall at 7 p.m. Following this the annual congregational meeting will be held with the Rev. E. R. Doyle presiding.

ly were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Walldoff.

Keep in mind the date Friday, Jan. 27th when Mr. Bell will again be entertaining with films, bring the family and enjoy the ice cream and pie served by the ladies with proceeds going for the Community Centre.

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